OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for week ending Saturday the 26th March 1938.

Food articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food Grains and Pulses.—				Rs. a. p.		
Rice ...	Guntoor per palla ...	100	246	12 8 0 to 14 8 0	...	6½ to 7¾ seers per rupee.
	Pattasamanahalli Sanna per palla.	100	246	.....	No stock	
	Dharapur per palla ...	100	246	.....	Do	
	Mysore Kaddi per palla...	100	246	11 8 0	...	8¼ ,,
	Alubbalu per palla ...	100	246	.....	No stock	
Ragi ...	Duyam (Black) per cart-load.	640	...	34 0 0 to 84 8 0	...	
	Superior (Red) per cart-load.	640	...	35 0 0 to 36 0 0	...	17 to 18 ,,
Tur ...	Gulberga ...	...	...	.....	...	8 to 8¼ ,,
Tur (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	5½ to 7 ,,
Avare ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	8½ to 9¾ ,,
Avare (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	6¾ to 7½ ,,
Oils and Oil seeds—						
Oils ...	Sweet oil ...	...	26½	4 8 0	...	Re. 0-2-0 }
	Castor oil ...	...	28	4 4 0	...	,, 0-1-9 } per seer.
Oil seeds ..	Gingelly or Til seed per candy.	255	...	34 0 0 to 37 0 0		
	Castor seed per candy ...	255	...	22 0 0 to 23 0 0		
Other Food Articles.—						
Sugar ...	White Bura ...	...	25	2 11 0 to 2 12 0	...	Re. 0-5-6 to 0-6-0 per viss.
	Kolar Bura ...	...	25		...	
Jaggery ...	Achu ...	...	28	1 0 0 to 1 8 0	...	Re. 0-2-6 to 0-3-6 per viss.
	Oonde ...	...	28	1 0 0 to 1 4 0	..	
Ghee ...	Superior (Mandya) ...	...	26½	16 0 0	...	Rs. 2-1-0 per viss.
Salt ...	Bombay Salt (Black) ...	105	...	7 0 0	...	14½ seers per rupee.

BANGALORE,
Dated 26th March 1938.

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For *Director.*

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE, FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 1938.

A total of 9 attacks with 6 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 18 attacks with 13 deaths in the previous week. Kolar Gold Field Area reported 3 attacks with 2 deaths, while Cities of Bangalore and Mysore continued to remain free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1937 and 1936 were—14 attacks with 11 deaths and 2 attacks with 3 deaths respectively.

A tolal of 4 attacks with one death from Small-pox was reported from one village in Harihar Taluk and from Bangalore City and Shimoga Town.

The State remained free from Cholera, Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 125 (55 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 30·65 (17·16 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 25·66 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered—3 under Typhoid, 3 under Phthisis, 10 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 109 under all other causes. The reported mortality was low.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 72 deaths (13 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 25·76 (21·11 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 22·42 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were—Broncho Pneumonia 2, Pneumonia 11, Other Fevers 1, Phthisis 3, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 7 and all other causes 48. The reported mortality was normal.